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Below will be found a list of prominent business men of Alliance, Ohio, who have lately taken out policies with the General Agent, Mr. C. F. Barrett, who can be found at the office of the Prudential Insurance Company, in the Warwick Block, every evening from 7 to 9, until January 15th Look at handbills distributed to you at your home or on the street, It will pay you to in vest in this company at a cost of 3½ cents a day.

John M. Stillwell, Mayor.
Harper Brosius, Postmaster.
Thos. M. Stacey, Chief of Police.
Amos W. Coates, Prop. Lever Rake Works.
Dr. J. H. Tressell.
Dr. Thomas L. Morgan,
Dr. Wm. W. Harter.
Dr. Samuel T. Kelly,
Robert J. McLaughlin, Clothier,
Samuel D. Lane, Milliner.
F. J. Poto, Grain Dealer.
J. P. Patterson, Agricultural Implement Dealer.
Frank Akins, Barber.
Les Akins, Barber.
James Barnes, Butcher.
Geo. W. Hileman, Grocer.
Lon Russell, Grocer.
E. S. Gilbert, Grocer.
David S. Moore, Grocer.
F. V. Cassaday, of A. S. Cassaday & Co.
James Craven, Contractor.
Henry Faubel, Blacksmith.
Alex B. Love, of Oby & Love.
E. Underwood, Stove Dealer.
Thos. K. Cree, Sec'y Y. M. C. A.
John Townsend, Insurance Agent.
J. H. Cronin, Insurance Agent.
C. G. Johnson, Insurance Agent.
Anson S. Springer, Springer Bros.
James W. Springer, Springer, Bros.
Charles Daconly, Springer Bros.
Lindley Jones, Nurseryman.
Wm. S. Dickerson, Boiler Shop.

Many other prominent business men of Alliance can be given as reference, but we feel that this list will convince any one of the high standing of the Manufacturer's Accident Indemnity Company. Any further information will be cheerfully given by C. F. BARRETT, Gen'l Agt., Prudential Ins. Co., office, Warwick Block, Massillon.

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MASSILLON, OHIO.

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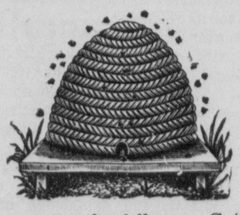

Please examine the following Cut Prices on Ladies Sacques and Jackets.

No. 356. One Plush Jacket at $25.00, Reduced to $12.50.

No. 761. Two Plush Jackets, sizes 32 and 34, at $20.00, Reduced to $10.00.

No. 763. One Plush Jacket, size 36 at $18.00, Reduced to $12.00

No. 304. One Plush Jacket size 34 at $15.00; Reduced to $10.00.

No. 700. Five Plush Jackets, assorted sizes, at $13.50, Reduced to $8.50.

No. 671. Eight Plush Sacques at $22.00, Reduced to $12.00.

No. 804. One Plush Jacket size 32 at $20.00 Reduced to $10.00.

We have marked prices on the above that will sell them quickly. Sure

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100 Dollars Reward.

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The Best Goods Ever Offered for the Money.

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Boys' Mufflers,
Men's Natural Wool Hose,
Men's Scarlet Hose,
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Two Pair Wool Hose,

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Boys' Solid Wool Mits,
Boys' Cashmere Gloves,
Men's Wool Mits,
Men's clouded underwear
Men's White Underwear
Men's Chore Gloves,

SPANGLER & Co., HATTERS

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TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio—Wednesday, local snow, colder. Temperature will fall 16 degrees.

TO-NIGHT: at Bucher's, the Rutledge Company in "Michael Strogoff."

Charles A. Conrad continues to improve.

Miss Katie Hamill has returned from Cleveland.

Mr. I. B. Dangler, after a long illness, is again at his post of duty.

Christ Schott has purchased C. H. Rudolph's West Side property.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Holtzbach are visiting friends in Canal Fulton.

The Ft. Wayne pay car passed through the city this morning, headed west.

Miss Stella Hall has returned to Canton, after a visit with Mrs. James Robinson.

Miss Julia Rudenstein and Miss Debbie Hill are visiting Mrs. J. W. Underhill, of Canton.

Miss Mary Hamill entertained about thirty couples at her home, in Danner street, last night.

Mrs. Wilhelm and Miss Fox, of Akron, are visiting at the residence of Councilman Ed Hering.

The Rev. J. W. Toland, presiding elder of this conference of the M.E.church, was in the city to-day.

The Tippecanoe Club, of Cleveland, will give a banquet to Major McKinley on the evening of March 24.

Mrs. Mary Ann Smith, grandmother of Eugenia and Jerome Shepley, died at her home in Canton last night,

The ladies of St. Timothy's church will give an orange tea on the evening of Jan. 23, in the church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Russell are preparing to take possession of their beautiful new Main street home.

Mr. Francis Strobel has been confined to the house for the past week on account of catarrh and lung trouble.

The Gradatim club will dance in the I. O. O. F. hall, next Wednesday evening. Schworm's orchestra and Mr. Holcomb will be present.

At the Hotel Conrad: William G. Hipp of the Massillon Stone and Fire Brick Company; W. B. Hanlon, chief engineer, C. L. & W. railroad.

The Loan and Building Comany, at a regular meeting last night, sold $1,400 in sums of $1,000 and $400, to two members, the premiums being 8⅞ and 9 cents.

The doors being constructed for the new Christian church are probably the largest in town, being 6½ feet wide, 13 feet 10 inches high, and containg 24 panels.

About twenty-five children arranged and carried into successful execution last night an enjoyable surprise party on Arline Lutz, at her parent's home in Oak street.

Mr. Theodore Herrman and Miss Sophia Minner will be married at St. John's Evangelical church, Thursday January 15, at 2:30 p. m. Friends are cordially invited.

The Daughters of Rebekah played progressive euchre at the social, given last night, at the residence of Mrs. V. R King, Park street. Mr. Charles King and Miss Mary Ellis won the first prizes.

A cow from the Clement Russell farm weighing 1190 pounds, dressed, is now on exhibition in the meat market of Wilson Graber in South Erie street. It is the largest ever known in this part of the country.

The young married gentlemen of the Assembly, held a delightful german at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Barnes, Canton, Monday night. There were fifteen couples present, the german being led by Mr. Will Kuhns, with favors from Burrows Bros., of Cleveland.

The health offiecr has reports of cases of scarlet fever from Richville avenue South Erie street, and West alley—four in all. Information left with this paper would indicate that there are quite a number of scattering cases which have not been reported to the department.

A fox hunt has been the attraction in the region several miles southeast of the city for two days. The sport was indulged in by a number of hunters with hounds from Canal Fulton and a few from south of town, but no one has yet succeeded in capturing one of the pack which are known to infest that section.

Frank Hemperly received a letter this morning from his brother-in-law, Frank Heierman, at Austin, Texas, in which the writer quotes some interesting market prices at that point, as follows: Hogs 2 cents per lb.; grass cattle, 2½ to 3 cents per lb., and hay $20 to $22 per ton, poor hay being $18 per ton. Cotton is quoted at 7 to 9 cents.

To-days Cleveland Leader contained the following paragraph in its sporting columo. "Mr. J. S. Coxey, the owner of Acolyte, sire of the fast yearling Pilgrim, was in the city yesterday, and is very highly gratified with the showing of that phenominal youngster. There is no longer any doubt, in Mr. Coxey's opinion, of Acolyte's success as a sire."

An interesting discussion, which was greatly enjoyed by all who were fortunate enough to hear it, took place at a meeting of the Luther society of St. Paul's church in the schoolhouse of that denomination, last night. The question debated was, "Resolved, That the laws of the United States should do away with the drinking saloon." All the audience was invited to participate, but the topic was discussed only by Frank H. Snyder on the affirmative and E. Gleitsman, on the negative. The audience was the judge, and a vote taken on the merits of the arguments resulted in favor of the affirmative by a large majority.

Truant Officer Hose was called upon this morning to investigate a case that proved to be one of real destitution, for which he provided temporary relief, but is deserving of attention from some of the charitable organizations. The family is that of Felix Andrews, of West South street. The father is now very ill, has been for four months, and will never recover. The three children have not been sent to school simply because they had no clothing fit for use. They were lacking, also, in everything but bare food, which is being provided by the township trustees. Mr. Hose's efforts resulted in the purchase of a small supply of clothing by the trustees, so that the little ones can go to school for a while, at least.

BEFORE THE MAYOR.

A Guilty Gallery God Comes at Last to Grief.

Mayor Reed, last night, gave an emphatic and pointed warning to all the gallery gods who frequent Bucher's that he intends to protect the managers of that amusement hall in their rights, as well as to protect the patrons of the place from the hoodlumism which is ever present when the drama holds the boards. The special officer employed by the management found it necessary, last night, to arrest a well known young man who was annoying the audience by excessive stamping and other noise and locked him up. After being incarcerated for an hour the young man was taken into court, pleaded guilty, and was fined $3.60. In consideration of the fact that the young man works steadily, gives his mother all his small earnings, and could only pay the assessment by getting the amount from his parent, the mayor remitted the fine and gave him a lecture which everybody who frequents the gallery should have heard. The next culprit will not escape condign punishment.

A motley throng crowded the mayor's court room from 7 to 10 o'clock last night to hear the trial of the parties charged with fighting at Gus Martin's Hydraulic Beer Garden, Saturday night. Those of the accused who appeared and pleaded not guilty were "Felty" Aunding and his son Andy, Ed White and Wm. Shively. Bill Jones and Ed Aunding failed to show up. The testimony of about ten witnesses was taken and the court was convinced of the participation of the accused in the melee. Each one was fined $1 and and costs, $5.75, the respective amounts being severally adjusted to the satisfaction of the mayor. Jones and Ed Aunding will yet be called upon to settle, and Gus Martin will not escape answering the charge of keeping a disorderly house.

A plain drunk, locked up last night, gave his name this morning as Theodore Stimmel, and in palliation of his indiscretion stated that he sold a recipe for welding steel to a manufacturing establishment for $5, found some congenial company, and thought yesterday was the Fourth of July. He is steering towards the Soldiers' Home, at Dayton, and was discharged.

Gus. Martin, proprietor of the Hydraulic Beer Garden, appeared this afternoon and pleaded guilty to selling liquor to persons intoxicated, as the substitute for the charge of keeping a disorderly house. His fine and costs amounted to $5.75.

THE GRISWOLD FUND.

A Total of Over $100 Sent to the Independent.

The Griswold fund still grows and THE INDEPENDENT is happy to state that the total contributed through this paper now exceeds $100. The most of this has been given in small amounts, the number of individual offerings up to this afternoon being 131. It is hoped that this growth may continue until a sum will have been raised sufficient to be of lasting benefit.

The management of the Rutledge Company, now playing a week's engagement in this city, has come forward with a generous offer, for the benefit of the fund. The proposition is to pay one-half of the receipts of the Saturday matinee, into the hands of the fund treasurer, Mr. J. H. Hunt. The price of tickets will be 20 cents, and the play to be given will be "The Red Fox." There ought not to be a vacant seat. Tickets are now on sale at the Independent Company's store, and the aid of volunteer canvassers is asked, in pushing this benefit. Thursday and Friday evenings all the carriers employed by THE INDEPENDENT will have matinee tickets, and persons who have not contributed to the fund directly, can do so in this way. The Griswold children will get one half.

The condition of the fund, at 2 p. m. to-day, was as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$93 50
Mrs. W. Firkins	1 00
Mrs. Thos. Brown	1 00
Cash	25
W. M. Rogers	1 00
Mrs. F. L. Wagoner	1 00
Cash Money	2 50
Cash Money	2 50
C. Russell	1 0
C. B. Allman	1 0
Total	$104 75

Work Will Be Suspended.

The Wheeling and Lake Erie railroad served notice on all its employes engaged in grading and track laying that their work will not be needed after the 15th. The road has gained its point by getting into Martin's Ferry in time to get the subscription, and proposes now to stop all track laying and grading until spring. —Steubenville Herald.

Michael Strogoff To-night.

"The Vagabond Hero" interested the audience at Bucher's last night. Mr. Rutledge took the principal part, meeting the situations both grave and gay, very acceptably. To-night that thrilling drama, portraying Russian life, "Michael Strogoff," will be given. It is said to be Mr. Rutledge's strongest p[art].

Solid tub oysters 35c per quart at Albright & Co.'s.

TICKS BY TELEGRAPH.

INGALLS IS SPEAKING TO CROWDED GALLERIES.

The Senator's Views on Vote Suppression—The Cruel War is Over—Fires at New York—Canton Affairs and County Seat Intelligence.

CANTON, Jan. 14.—The case of Andrew Ewing's administrator against C. Aultman & Co., has been settled by the company paying $500. Ewing was a resident of Alliance and as he was passing through the C. Aultman works in this city about one year ago fell down the elevator shaft. His injuries caused his death.

Canton baseball enthusiasts have decided to place a team in the field next season. It is probable that Jacob Roushkolb will be manager.

Auditor Louis A. Loichot is able to attend to duties at his office, after being confined to his home several days with a sprained ankle. He received the injuries while alighting from a car at the square Saturday afternoon.

Lola Pfeiffer has commenced action against John Pfeiffer in Common Pleas court, asking for a divorce, alimony, and that she might be restored to her maiden name. The charges are gross neglect and habitual drunkenness.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Adam Peter and Mary Rouse, Massillon.

Robert Cully, an employe of the Cleveland & Canton Railroad Company, has left the city, and it is believed that he has eloped with Maggie Mackay, his sister-in-law, a comely girl of 21 years, who has been employed by the Canton Baking Company. Cully has a wife and child living in East Third street. The whereabouts of the couple are unknown.

The will of George Winold, of Tuscarawas township, has been filed in probate court. Winold owned a farm and other real estate which he leaves to his widow.

The will of Jacob Killinger, of Jackson township, has been filed for probate. Mr. Killinger was a farmer, and divides his estate equally among his heirs.

Superintendent Detmering has received orders from Cincinnati to start work in the watch case factory Thursday. At that time work will be commenced in the gold melting and rolling department with about 150 employes. On Monday, January 19, work will be resumed in the gold turning room, and on Wednesday, January 21, in the gold jointing department. The other departments will start as soon as possible and it is expected the entire factory will be running by a week from Saturday. Work in the Hampden factory was resumed this morning, with a force of about 600, which will be increased daily until all employes are again at work.

The banquet of the Canton Business Men's Association at the Barnett House last night was a success. Officers for next year elected are: President, George H. Spangler; vice president, F. Harbaugh; secretary, Alvin Douds; treasurer, John D. Frank; executive committe, J. A. Brown, H. D. McCrea. F. A. Crittenden, B. Lowenstine and John McGowan.

Mrs Maggie Wertz, aged forty-five, was found dead in the bed room at her residence this morning. She had long been a sufferer from cancer, and died from weakness,

J. D. Lewis, the Alliance lawyer charged with embezzlement, was in court yesterday having been surrendered by his bondsman, Mr. Philip Dattlebaum. A new recognizance was ordered in the sum of $500, which was furnished, with Curtis Goddard as surety.

Ingalls is Speaking.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Senator Ingalls is speaking, and the galleries are full. He says that the republic is threatened by two great evils, suppressed suffrage in the South, and purchased suffrage in the big cities of the North. He condemns wasteful extravagance of public funds and reckless legislation. The speech is unusually brilliant and is hard on the silver men in congress.

The Indian War Over.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

PINE RIDGE AGENCY, Jan. 14.—The war is over. The Indian chiefs ha announced their willingness to give

A Dalton Installation

DALTON, O., Jan. 14.—Officers of Arlington Lodge No. 775, I. O. O. F., were installed by District Deputy Grand Master N. S. Brice, of Orrville, O., Monday night as follows: N. G., W. C. Scott; V. G., A. S. Tuttle; P. G., C. J. Harold; treasurer, E. A. Freet; secretary, J. R. Rosbuck; per. sec., J. M. Fiscus; warden, W. H. Sellers; con., A. Sanderson; R. S. to N. G., G. C. Freet, L. S. to N. G.; W. L. Ralston; R. S. to V. G., W. B. Lightner; L. S. to V. G., Will E. Scott; O. G., Frank Welty; I. G., A. Jabas. The incoming noble, vice and past grands presented the lodge with a beautiful set of jewels of the order, and the ladies of the order spread an elegant banquet, and also presented the order with a valuable set of mahogany gavels and two embroidered throws for the pedestals of presiding officers.

Furnaces Blown On.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., January 11.—The resolution adopted by the furnace operators to shut down on January 10 by reason of the refusal of the railroads and coke men to reduce rates, has been carried into effect and to day only two stacks in the Mahoning Valley are in blast, those operated by Receiver Brown of Brown, Bonnell & Co. The stacks out, with their annual production, are the following.

	Tons.
Brier Hill Iron and Coal Company, three stacks	125,000
Andrews Bros., Haselton, two stacks	80,000
Himrod Furnaces, two stacks	85,000
Struthers Furnace, Struthers	40,000
Hannah Furnace, Youngstown	50,000
Girard Furnace, Girard	75,000
Hubbard Furnaces, Hubbard	75,000
Mary Furnace, Lowellville	45,000
Claire Furnace, Sharpsville	50,000
Douglas Furnaces, Sparpsville	60,000
Mabel Furnaces, Sharpsville	50,000
Sharpsville Furnace, Sharpsville	40,000
Spearman Furnace Sharpsville	60,000
Stewart Furnace, Sharon	30,000
Sharon Furnace, Sharon	25,000
Wheeler Furnaces, three stacks Middlesex	100,000

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This Date in History—Jan. 14.

1641—Death of Edward Bruce, Scottish judge; born 1549.
1648—Death of Dr. John Boyse, translator of the Bible.
1696—Death of Mme. de Sevigne, marchioness; born 1636.
1730—Birth of William Whipple, American general; died 1785.
1742—Death of Edmund Halley, astronomer; born 1656.
1763—Death of Dr. George Berkeley, bishop of Cloyne, metaphysician; born 1648.
1784—Definitive treaty of peace signed at Paris Sept. 3, 1783; ratified by congress.
1858—Attempted assassination of the Emperor Louis Napoleon by Orsini and others by the explosion of three shells; two persons killed, many wounded.
1869—Convention respecting Alabama claims signed by Lord Clarendon and Mr. Reverdy Johnson; afterward rejected by the United States.
1884—Charles Delmonico, of New York, found dead in a ravine near Orange, N. J., aged 43 years.
1888—Death of Gen. Adin B. Underwood at Boston; born 1827

Uniform the police.

Codify the ordinances.

It will be a battle of the Titans—Volkmor vs. Limbach, for the street commissionership.

A reform will have been accomplished when the snarls are taken out of the city ordinances.

The two daily papers of Salem have consolidated, the successful existence of both being impossible.

Henry Cabot Lodge believes that the civilization of the public school is better than the civilization of the shot gun, and he is right.

A cloud of mismanagement appears to be settling on Adjutant General Hawkins's office. It turns out that he has kept all the clerks in the roster department on the rolls, without giving them any work whatever, to do. The fact that they did nothing is admitted, but why they were paid, is not explained.

There is a general desire to know where Mr. Cleveland stands on the silver question. Upon this subject he preserves a masterly silence. As the New York Sun says, in a poem of some length:

"Tons of letters, miles of speeches,
Full of virtuous saw and sentence;
Celebrating the Mugwump ego
Came forth from the prophet's work-shop,
Set the weary world to yawning.
Filled with wicked suicidal
Thoughts the much enduring printers,
But of silver not a syllable,
Not a syllable of silver.
Though the industrious jaws prophetic
Never ceased their steady working,
From them came no word of silver—
Worlds of words, but never this one."

The Repository is rejoicing with a big R, and it asks that Canton be spelled with a big C, which THE INDEPENDENT is glad to do for the same reason that it spells Jones with a big J and Smith with a big S. The Repository's hymn of happiness runs thus:

"Canton bobs up serenely before the ink has time to dry on the effusions of incredulous, mournful correspondents in competing towns. Canton's natural gas has not failed. Her natural gas is not made that way."

By some oversight, the ordinance creating a police force in this city fails to require members of the force to adopt a regulation uniform. The omission certainly ought to be supplied, and the officers required to wear the usual uniform distinguishable by resident or stranger. As long as the municipal code does not define the proper dress, it ought not to be expected that the officers will get one up to suit themselves. A policeman loses one-third of his usefulness, ordinarily, when his calling is not easily apparent to everybody.

General Gibson, that grand old Republican whom everybody loves and admires, will preside at the Lincoln day banquet at Toledo. The programme of toasts includes:

James. M. Ashley, of Toledo—"Abraham Lincoln."

Bellamy Storer, of Cincinnati—"Young Republicans of Ohio."

Congressman Dalzell, of Pittsburg—"The Republican Party in Congress."

Robert P. Porter, of Washington, D. C.,—"The Press."

William McKinley, Jr.—"An American Tariff for the American people."

Prof. D. Augustus Straker, of Detroit—"Equality of Citizenship the Safety of the Republic."

Ed. S. Wallace, of Springfield, O.—"Why I am a Republican."

Robert M Nevin, of Dayton—"The Buckeye State."

THE LOCAL SPRING ELECTION.

Candidates Blossoming Ere the Budding Season has Arrived.

Regardless of the fact that about two and one-half months must be counted with "the water that has passed" before the time for the regular municipal election arrives, the eligibility of prospective candidates is already being freely discussed in certain quarters by those peculiar people the success of whose harvest time depends largely upon the crop of willing patriots who yearn, or can be pursuaded, to sacrifice themselves for the country's good and the benefit of the industrious local leeches who make an annual business of bleeding embryonic scatesmen. Take your stand on a street corner or sit in a saloon at almost any hour of the day or night and you will hardly fail to have a candidate, or one in his behalf, broach the subject, directly or indirectly, of his aspirations, and an invitation to "take suthin" is almost sure to follow.

The principal contest in the spring as it looks just now, will be for the office of street commissioner, and one of the aspirants, in answer to a question as to who would be candidates for the party nominations for that office, submitted the following list of names: Republicans—Dan Kitchen, George Zielley, Wm. H. Crooks, John B. Snyder and Charles Black; Democrats—Councilman Volkmore, Louis Limbach, Theodore Kramer Will Vogt and John Gies, and this list is liable to be increased as time passes. A local politician who who can see both ways at the same time, was asked who would be candidates for marshal, and he replied: "By common consent the writing on the Democratic slate seems to read that Tom Hagan will not have any opposition, while the Republican nomination will probably be arrested by Adam Wendling, Geo. Merwin and Otto Uhlendorff. with possibly several other candidates before the primary election is held." Nothing is as yet being said about the other city or township offices.

A Big New York Fire.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Fires that started at 1 o'clock this morning in Van Tassel's malt house, in Eleventh street, and at the White Star Line dock were extinguished after a hard fight. Loss at Van Tassel's $120,000; at the dock $25,000.

The Administration but Little Disturbed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The effort of the British government, through counsel for Canadian officials, to bring up the Bering sea controversy before the supreme court of the United States was the chief topic of conversation here yesterday in diplomatic and official circles. The matter was talked about informally in cabinet meeting, and, although members of the cabinet are naturally reticent about it, still it is apparent that the administration is but little disturbed over the alleged flank movement on the part of the British or Canadian lawyers.

Unseated a Senator and Reseated Another.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 14.—Both houses of the legislature met at 3 o'clock yesterday. After organization the governor's message was read. In the senate, Senator Stuhr, of Hudson, was unseated and ex-Senator McDonald was reseated. Governor Abbett, in his message, said: The financial condition of the state is not embarrassing, but it will not permit new appropriations except in absolutely necessary cases. Its condition will also prevent the immediate payment of many appropriations heretofore made by the legislature.

A Natural Supposition.

"Are those people really grown up?" asked a little girl whose mother had taken her to see the dwarfs.

"Yes, dearie."

"Did their mammas feed them on condensed milk?"—Washington Post.

The Weather Signals.

A surprising interest is manifested daily in the government weather predictions, secured by the Independent Company, as shown by the flags at noon, and as announced in these columns. A convenient card will soon be issued, containing a full explanation of the signal code. For the public convenience, the arrangement as published the other day, is here repeated:

WEATHER SIGNALS—Beginning to-day, and hereafter, the government forecasts for the next succeeding twenty-four hours will be signalled from THE INDEPENDENT building the predictions generally arriving about 12 m. The indications will be announced by four flags *to be read* downward.

No. 1, white flag, six feet square, indicates clear or fair weather. No. 2, blue flag, six feet square indicates rain or snow. No. 3, black, triangular flag, and six feet in length, always refers to temperature; when placed above numbers 1 or 2 it indicates warmer weather; when placed below Nos. 1 and 2, it indicates colder weather when not displayed, the indications are that the temperature will remain stationary, or that the change in temperature will not vary four degrees from the temperature of the same hour of the preceding day. No. 4, white flag, six feet square, with black square in center, indicates the approach of a *sudden* and *decided* fall in temperature. This signal is not to be displayed unless it is expected that the temperature will fall to forty-five degrees, or lower, and is usually ordered at least twenty-four hours in advance of the cold wave. When No. 4 is displayed, No. 3 is always omitted.

No. 1, alone, indicates fair weather, stationary temperature.

No. 2, alone, indicates rain or snow, stationary temperature.

No. 1, with No. 3 below it, indicates fair weather, colder.

No 2. with No. 3 above it, indicates warmer weather, rain or snow.

No. 1, with No. 4 below it, indicates fair weather, cold wave.

No. 3, with Nos. 1 and two below it, indicates warmer, fair weather, followed by rain or snow.

Surer foundation cannot be laid than the real merit which is the solid base for the monumental success of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS.

Gathered for The Independent at Russell & Co.'s.

On the announcement of the result of the Dempsey-Fitzsimmons glove contest at New Orleans, some money will change hands here among some of the young men, who are reputed as being up with the times in all that pertains to the world of sport. Betting is about even among those who are conceded to be informed, though to a close observer it would appear impossible for Fitzsimmons to win, for the man who bets the heaviest down here, and who always loses his bets, in this particular branch of athletic sport, has selected Fitzsimmons as his favorite. It is generally admitted that this alone is sufficient to make the "Nonpareil" an easy winner.

For some time the principal topic of discussion during noon hour has been the probable effect the great trust concerns forming all over the country will have upon the business interests of those concerned in organizing them, and also upon the fortunes of mechanics generally and in particular. Especially has this been so in the case of the great harvester combine, and it would doubtless be surprising to many wiser than, they to hear men with whom the chief moving power of thought is bread and butter, take up and examine in detail and with clearness and far reaching consequences of the realization of schemes for which it would seem only minds that could be more fully applied, were fit. It is safe to say that none of them viewed it with any thing but the strongest disapproval, and, although it may be veering that much out of the path that leads up to the realization of the fondest hopes of the followers of Edward Bdllamy, when the complete collapse of the great harvester combine appeared in the press, the general response was a hearty amen.

In honor of the anniversary of the birthday of an esteemed shop mate, Mr. F. G. Borden, a large party of his friends and neighbors assembled at the home of his father, Mr. Park Borden, last evening, and from there proceeded to surprise him by taking possession of him and his home without ceremony. They were accompanied by the Mandoline club, which furnished excellent music for the occasion. A bounteous table was set and the pleasures of the evening will long be remembered by those who were present. The age of Mr. Borden is not known, as the handsome, well-dressed moustache he wears, doubtless hides many years of care, but if he is 50 we wish him 50 more.

Mr. Charles Shertzer celebrated the forty-first anniversary of his birthday by getting permission to go home after the whistle blew last evening, to smoke a box of cigars on behalf of his friends and in kindly remembrance of himself.

Mr. George Hubbard of Mt. Vernon, O., has accepted a position in the automatic engine department, and judging from his genial disposition, his stay here will be pleasant to himself and his associates.

Mr. C. A. Gates took a western train this morning.

Newman.

The postoffice address of Henry Gainey is now North Lawrence, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Masters spent Wednesday of last week with their friends, Mr. and Mrs Daniel Sheldon, at Canal Fulton.

Richard Cromwell James, of New Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Newman friends.

Wm. Thomas started last Sunday evening for Arizona, for his health. "Billy" has been troubled some time with asthma, and it is to be hoped that the change of climate may prove a lasting benefit to him.

The Ohio miners will meet in convention at Columbus on the 20th inst., for the transaction of important business and the election of officers. Thos. C. Miller has been selected to represent the Drake mine.

Wm. Forrest, sr., returned last week after making a pleasant tour with his children at Sherrodsville, Somerdale and Canton.

The death of so many of the Ohio state senators during the present general assembly is to be regretted very much at this time. But we rise to inquire, is it not time some Bourbon paper to come to the front and hold the McKinley bill responsible for at least some of those deaths?

As was expected, that notorious Hill case wilted down to a mere nothing. John Reese and James Miller being discharged and Thomas Miller bound over to probate court for the sum of $50 only for assault and battery was a flimsy pretext for a state case. There was not the shadow of evidence to indicate an attempt at assault, and yet the affidavit gave the appearance of a strong case. It too often occurs that cases are colored for the purpose of getting law and securing the costs under the cover of state cases.

Wm. Head, of North Lawrence, is circulating among his friends this week.

Howell Williams visited friends at North Lawrence Sunday.

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There will be a meeting of Massillon Council No. 56, National Union, at Odd Fellows hall, Wednesday Jan. 14, at 7 p. m. All members are requested to be present. Business of great importance will be transacted.

H. C. BROWN, president.

The want column continues to fulfil its destiny. Every day houses are rented, lots sold, situations obtained, help secured, lost articles recovered and articles found restored.

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SPORTING NOTES.

Latest News Concerning the Dempsey-Fitzsimmons Contest.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Jan. 14.—The state authorities have reluctantly arrived at the conclusion that they have no warrant for interference with the Dempsey-Fitzsimmons match. After his conference with Governor Nicolls yesterday, Attorney General Rogers went through the statutes and finally rendered an opinion that under the most recent law the Olympic club people had a clear right to go ahead. The governor then directed Rogers to present the matter to Mayor Shakespeare, who is sick in bed, but the latter also said that he could do nothing unless the affair assumed the features of a slugging match, in which event the police would break into the ring and compel the combatants to go to their rooms. Dempsey will see his opponent for the first time when he enters the ring. He has been very anxious to size him up and take a mental photograph of his movement and shape, but the Australian is wily and does not propose

To Give the Nonpareil Any Points

in advance. Fitzsimmons will remain at Bay St. Louis, reaching here barely in time to put on his pumps and go to the ampitheatre. A Denver man who stopped over at his training quarters says that Fitz is in as fine form as he has ever been in his life and that there need be no mistake about his condition; he is awkwardly built, and the muscles and flesh of his body is queerly distributed, but he is trained down to a fine edge, and will make a fine showing in the ring. His legs look larger than they did some months ago, and while he is knock-kneed and slender below, he is great above the hips. The muscles of his back stand out prominently and his arms are large and muscular and well curved. He is in condition to take a tremendous amount of punishment and yet come up smiling. Financially, the affair is already a success. All the fifty boxes have been sold at $100 each, and of the 4,000 seats two-thirds have been taken or bespoken.

THE OHIO LEGISLATURE.

Much Oratory in the House — Senator Adams Introduces an Important Measure—An Important Bill in Preparation

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—Most of Tuesday's session in the house was occupied in oratory. Mr. McDermott's bill prohibiting employment of children under 14 years of age in manufacturing establishments was up for passage and a long drawn out discussion was the result. The bill was lost and reconsidered and postponed till Jan. 21. The afternoon session was spent in discussing Gaumer's bill to abolish the board of pardons. The discussion showed there was considerable opposition to abolishing the board and a compromise was effected by postponing action. The following bills passed in the house: Paying bounty to Solomon Fish, color bearer One Hundred and Twenty-first regiment, O. V. I.; appropriating $2,000 to pay salaries and mileage of members of the general assembly.

Doings in the Senate.

The most important action in the senate was the introduction of Senator Adams' bill to avoid the creation of a commission of the supreme court. It provides that when judgment has been affirmed by both common pleas and circuit courts the case cannot be taken on error to the supreme court, except where it involves the constitutionality of an act passed by the general assembly, or a case of habeas corpus, mandamus or quo warranto, or when the final order or decree on appeal in the superior court of Cincinnati or a circuit court is contrary to the final order. The other senate bills introduced were: Limiting rate of indebtedness per capita for one purpose in villages; making it mandatory to appoint visiting committees for county institutions; amending section 4155 not requiring chattel mortgages secured by notes, etc., to be refiled before maturing; discharging sureties of county infirmary directors; giving mayors and justices of the peace final jurisdiction over hunters who trespass.

A Bill of Great Importance.

Representative Grier, of Paulding county, is preparing a bill of great importance, and one which is calculated to cause no little amount of uneasiness among the great army of professional tax dodgers to be found in every county in the state. It will provide for listing for taxation of all real estate mortgages. The county auditors of the state, under its provisions, will be required to keep a book for that purpose and the county recorder will not be allowed to file or record any mortgages which have not first been indorsed by the county auditor "entered for taxation."

Quick Work With Car Robbers.

SIDNEY, O., Jan. 14.—Monday a special grand jury was called to investigate the case of the car robbers, Charles Fisher, of Dayton; Gus Ghering, of Piqua, and Wm. Barnett, colored. An indictment was found, the fellows pleaded guilty, and Judge Richie gave Richards five years, Ghering two years and Barnett ten years. They were arrested Saturday and went to Columbus yesterday.

Marvin Kuhns Indicted.

TIFFIN, O., Jan. 14.—Marvin Kuhns was indicted for murder in the first degree for killing William Campeau at Fostoria.

Latest designs in ladies' small-sized gold watches at C. F. Von Kanel's.

THE DIPLOMATIC RECEPTION.

In the Matter of Brilliance and Exclusiveness it Leads All Others.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The diplomatic reception at the president's mansion last night was a brilliant affair. From 9 o'clock until near midnight the White House was crowded with a throng of people. The diplomatic corps assembled in the red parlor at the appointed hour and passed through to the blue parlor, where they paid their respects to the president and Mrs. Harrison, followed by hundreds of handsomely dressed guests. The lower rooms of the mansion were beautifully decorated with growing plants and flowers, as is usual on such occasions. The reception in honor of the envoys extraordinary, in the matter of brilliance and exclusiveness, leads all others that have been or will be given during the season.

BIG DEPOSITS OF ORE.

Minnesota People Excited Over Two Rich Strikes.

GRAND RAPIDS, MINN., Jan. 14.—A very rich mine has been struck at La Prairie, Minn. Gen. Baker, of Mankato; Gen. Cowen, of Cincinnati, and State Auditor Braden, left here after making arrangements for shipping their ore. The find is extremely rich, and surpasses the highest grade of ore taken from the Gogebic mines on the south shore of Lake Superior. It is of the same nature as that ore, differing in this respect from that of the Vermillion range. Wild excitement prevails over the striking of hematite ore, assaying 62 per cent., at a depth of fifty feet, in the Buckeye mine.

The Massillon Market.

Farmers are receiving the following prices to-day, January 14.

Wheat, per bu	90-93
Oats " "	45-47
Corn " "	60 65
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No. 6 1 18 p. m	No. 5 1 20 p.m
No. 8 7 50 p. m	No 7 6 40 p.m
Local 7 40 a. m	Local 4 09 p.m

In effect June 9th at noon.

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GOING EAST

No. 8	Daily	2 50 a m
No. 10	Daily except Sunday	7 45 a. m
No. 4	Daily	1 00 p. m
No. 20	Daily except Sunday	9 25 p. m

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No 1	Daily except Sunday	3 25 a.m
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No. 9	Daily	11 01 a. m
No. 3	Daily	5 48 p. m
Local		9:15 a. m

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THE SITUATION CRITICAL.

NO ONE CAN TELL WHAT THE MORROW MAY BRING FORTH.

The Hostiles Not Coming Toward the Agency of Their Own Free Will—They Have Been Forced in and in a Few Hours May Conclude to be Forced no Further—The Chiefs Ask to be Sent to Washington to the Great Father to Tell Their Grievances.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—A special to The Star from their correspondent who is familiar with the country thereabouts, and who was sent there specially to look into the Indian troubles at Pine Ridge, says: There are a hundred men at Pine Ridge who have studied the Indian for years, but not one of them dares prophecy as to what the morrow may bring forth. A thousand hostiles, and half of them able-bodied bucks, are encamped within range of the Springfield rifles of Capt. Dougherty's command, now stationed at the earthworks north of the agency. The more sanguine of the residents here have hope that there will be no more bloodshed. They can only hope, for they have received no assurances for immediate peace. Gen. Miles feels encouraged because he has his enemy so near and on familiar ground, but he remembers that the hostiles are coming toward the agency of their own will. They have been forced in and they may conclude within a few hours to be forced no further. All communication between the friendly Indians and the hostiles was cut off as far as seemed to be possible, but the cunning red man succeeded Monday night in running the blockade, aided by a blustering and extremely dark night.

The Latest Reliable Information

from the warriors shows the situation to be most critical. Inflammatory speeches have been made by the Brules and the most strenuous efforts of the less warlike Ogallalas have been of but little avail. A number of friendly chiefs talked with Gen. Miles yesterday and asked that they be sent to Washington that they might in person tell the Great Father of their grievances. They also suggested that a number of hostile chiefs accompany them if they surrender, so that the greatness and power of the Government might be made plain. The request will be granted, and Lieut. Taylor of the Ninth Cavalry will have charge of the excursion party. The semi-circle of troops which has pushed the hostiles to their present camp is now nearly connected. Gen. Brook, in command, is within four miles of the camp, and the subdivisions under Gen. Carr, Gen. Wheaton, Lieut.-Col. Sanford, Lieut.-Col. Offley, Maj. Henry, Maj. Ward and Maj. Whitney are all nearly as close. About half of the force is mounted. Gen. Miles has notified Gen. Colby and Gen. W. F. Cody that the Nebraska militiamen might return to their homes, the hostiles being so situated that the United States troops no longer needed assistance.

STILL IN THE RAVINE.

The Young Men, Actual Warriors, Need to be Crushed if the War is to Come to a Speedy End.

PINE RIDGE AGENCY, S. D., Jan. 14.—While the iron hand of the army has apparently got the Sioux rebellion by the throat, there is no telling at what instant the savage, grown desperate by hunger and fright, will make one more struggle to avenge his wrongs. The hostiles are still in camp in the ravine to the northwest. Their messages to Gen. Miles are of a pacific nature, but in their peace counsels the young men, who are the actual warriors, hold aloof. This element, numbering between 300 and 600, it would seem, needs to be crushed, if the war is to come to a speedy end. They are turbulent, insolent and belligerent. It now seems to be the plan of the military to remain inactive for two or three days in the hope that the youngsters may become satisfied that they

Are Not to Be Punished

for the crimes they have committed, and that they will listen to the councils of such chiefs as Young-Man-Afraid-of-His-Horses. Gen. Miles has promised the savages plenty to eat and the immediate observance of existing treaties, but as a conqueror he has warned them that they must submit to whatever terms he may dictate. It is believed that Gen. Miles contemplates a gradual disarming of the hostiles, but it is the universal opinion of those who have been among the hostiles that they will not even submit to such a cautious move on the part of the military.

ARIZONA PEOPLE PROTEST.

Secretary Proctor Orders the Abandonment of Fort Lowell.

TUCSON, ARIZ., Jan. 14.—The abandonment of Fort Lowell, seven miles east of Tucson, has been ordered by the secretary of war. Citizens of Southern Arizona are making a strong remonstrance, as Fort Lowell is located on the direct trail from the San Carlos reservation to Mexico, and its abandonment would be an encouragement for the Apaches to raid Mexico at will. The military officers at Lowell without exception say that this is the most strategic and important garrison in Arizona for holding the Indians on the reservation, cutting off their escape into Mexico, or rapid distribution of troops by rail.

AGAIN ON STRIKE.

The Situation on the Scotch Railroads is Becoming Critical.

GLASGOW, Jan. 14.—Many of the men who had returned to work for the North British railway have again joined the strikers. The situation is becoming critical. Mr. Tait, secretary of the strikers' union, declares that the men on the Glasgow and Southwestern railway have also decided to go out on strike again.

Sought Health and Found Death.

PASADENA, CAL., Jan. 14.—Col. J. M. Eddy, general manager and receiver of the International and Great Northern Railroad, died in this city of hemorrhage of the lungs. Col. Eddy arrived here in a private car on December 17, for the benefit of his health. He was 47 years of age. The remains will be taken to Omaha for interment.

REBELLIOUS CONSUMPTIVES.

Philadelphia Hospital Patients Still Object to the Lymph.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 14.—The mutiny is still maintained against lymph injections among the consumptive patients at Blockley hospital. The special ward set aside for the treatment of patients by Koch's method is still waiting to receive the first volunteer, and the trained nurse who was to watch the progress of the case has no other occupation than keeping the snowy covered but empty cots in order and polishing up the lymph syringe. The consumptive patients, so carefully selected and dieted in preparation for the experiments, contentedly pursue their study of the Koch method from the back numbers of newspapers furnished by the philanthropic ladies who collect literature for the sick, and they are unanimous in their commendation of the routine diet of broths, jellies and other delicacies that are administered preparatory to the injections; but to a man they stubbornly refuse to have their backs punctured by the needle.

IN CLOUDS OF SCALDING STEAM.

Three Men Horribly Scalded by the Bursting of a Steam Pipe.

PAILADELPHIA, Jan. 14.—A terrible and probably fatal explosion occurred yesterday in the big building of the Edison Electric Light Company on Sansom street, above ninth. Three men, John Strouth, Robt. Gibson and Edward Sullivan, who were at work in the boiler room, were horribly scalded by the bursting of a steam pipe connected with one of the huge boilers. The unfortunate men were completely enveloped in clouds of scalding steam, which thoroughly saturated their clothing, and the boiling water literally cooked their flesh. The victims were taken to the hospital, and physicians did everything in their power for them, but their condition is extremely critical, and it is feared that their terrible injuries will prove fatal.

A LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODES.

An Engineer and Three Brakemen Hurled Through the Air and Killed.

ASHLAND, PA., Jan. 14.—While a Reading locomotive was standing on a side track, near the railroad station at Gordon, two miles from here last night, it exploded from some unknown cause, hurling the engineer, Martin Saeger, and brakemen, John Smith, Irvin Bolich and Nicholas Humph, through the air, the former a distance of 300 yards. Saeger, Smith and Bolich were killed outright and Humph was so badly injured that his recovery is doubtful. The ill-fated engine had just been vacated by the fireman, who went out for a drink of water, thus escaping the fate of his companions. All are married men, except Smith, and leave from two to five children.

OFFERED HIMSELF A SACRIFICE.

Wrapped in a Blanket Saturated with Oil He Set Fire to It.

AUBURN, N. Y., Jan. 14.—Charles Lozelle, a convict in the state prison, poured kerosene over himself and set fire to it. After shooting at him two of the guards finally succeeded in rolling him in a blanket and extinguishing the flames before he was seriously burned. Upon investigating it was found that Lozelle had become insane and was taken with the delusion that the Lord had called him to go. He intended to offer himself up as a burning sacrifice. He imagines he hears voices and is prompted to do things for the cause of religion. He is about 40 years old and was an habitual criminal. He was sent from Utica two years ago to serve a life sentence for burglary. He was taken to the insane asylum.

ORDERED TO LEAVE.

A Masked Mob Serve Notice on Two Supposed Thieves.

NEVADA, MO., Jan. 14.—About fifty masked men, armed with shotguns, went to the house of John Beasley, who lives near this city, and ordered him to leave the country within forty-eight hours. They then went to Philip Beasley's and called for a stepson of John Beasley, who was supposed to be there, but he was not at home. They left word for him to get out also. They accused Beasley and his stepson of petty thieving, and said that they proposed to put a stop to it.

Schooner Wrecked and Two Lives Lost.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 14.—The British schooner Otter went ashore near the Bellport, L. I., Life Saving Station, yesterday. Two of her crew were drowned while coming ashore on the breeches buoy, which became disarranged. The rest of the crew, seven men, were saved. The schooner is full of water. She is a two-master and came from St. Kitts with a cargo of salt, bound for New York.

Decline in Price of White Lead.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—A decline of 50 cents per 100 pounds in the price of white lead is the result of the recent reduction of 1-2 cent per pound in the price of pig lead. There had been a reduction of 5 per cent. in window glass due to the failure of the manufactures to complete a trust. It is thought the decline will be but temporary.

The First World's Fair Appropriation.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—World's Fair Commissioner Hay, of Wyoming, telegraphs Secretary Dickinson that the governor has signed the bill appropriating $30,000 for Wyoming's exhibit at the exposition of 1893. The legislature of the young state of Wyoming is the first in the Union to make an appropriation for this purpose.

McKee and Family to Settle in Boston.

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Mr. J. R. McKee, son-in-law of President Harrison, has arranged to settle with his family in Boston, having established a business connection here with the Thomson-Houston Electric company. He will still retain an interest in his Indianapolis business.

Bust of Henry W. Grady.

ATLANTA, GA., Jan. 14.—Alexander Doyle, a New York sculptor, will spend February in Atlanta, during which time he will fashion the clay bust of Henry W. Grady. The monument is to be ready for unveiling in July.

Knocked Out by La Grippe.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 14.—Four teachers and over 300 pupils are reported absent from the public schools ill with la grippe.

THE FINANCIAL BILL.

MR. SHERMAN OPPOSED THE FREE COINAGE AMENDMENT.

He Occupied Four Hours in the Delivery of His Argument and at Its Conclusion was Loudly Applauded—Messrs. Allison and Evarts Also Spoke Against the Amendment and Mr. McConnell in Its Support—General Debate on the Bill to Close To-Day.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The senate Tuesday passed the bill authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Red River of the North, at Dayton, N. D.; the bill for a public building at Fresno, Cal., at a cost of $75,000, and the bill for a public building at Joliet, Ills., at a cost of $100,000. After further routine business the financial bill was taken up, and Mr. Sherman addressed the senate in opposition to the free coinage amendment. The amendment, he said, was a radical proposition, which changed the whole character of the bill. The price of silver was fixed at $1.29 an ounce and this, with silver to-day about $1.05, was an offer to pay 24 cents an ounce more than the market price, and no matter in what form the silver was presented it had to be worked over, and this cost the treasury an additional 2 cents an ounce. He would say now, in all sincerity, that if he believed the free coinage of silver would enable us to maintain the value of silver bullion up to that of gold he would vote for free coinage, but if it were admitted that silver could not reach gold except by the government paying a bounty to the domestic producer of silver, he did not think there was any danger of the measure becoming law. Mr. Sherman

Fortified This Argument

by citing the fact that when silver, under the ratio of 1834, was at a premium here, it was demonetized and remained so for years, and in order to get the benefit of the use of silver we had to reduce the ratio in order to prevent its exportation. When the ratio of 1834 was adopted all the silver coined here fled from the country, because it was valued more highly in other countries. He believed that the best money ever devised by man was the treasury notes of the United States, issued under the law of last session—gold certificates and silver certificates. That was the kind of money that would always circulate. Neither gold nor silver could circulate among the American people. There was lying in the treasury a mass of 320,000,000 silver dollars. That was the highest evidence that the people did not want either silver coin or gold coin. They wanted paper based on silver and on gold, based on solid values and supported by the credit of the government. Mr. Sherman continuing

Cautioned the Democratic Senators

from the eastern and from the southern states that if they committed themselves to the policy of the free coinage of silver they would have the burden of that commitment next year when the responsibility of legislation would be upon them. For one he would stand by the legal standard of value on which public and private contracts had been made. After speaking nearly four hours, Mr. Sherman resumed his seat amid considerable applause. Messrs. Allison and Evarts followed in speeches also against the free coinage amendment, and Mr. McConnell in its support. The senate at 6 p. m. adjourned with an agreement that general debate on the financial bill will close Wednesday evening, after several senators who desire to speak have been heard.

Army Appropriation Bill.

The House disagreed to Senate amendments to to bills for public building at Pueblo, Col., and a conference was asked. The same action was taken on the bill providing for an additional Justice of the Supreme Court of Arizona. The Senate amendment fixing the limit of cost for a public building at Davenport, Ia., at $100,000 was agreed to. The Army Appropriation bill was then taken up. An amendment was adopted prohibiting an officer on the retired list drawing pay while in receipt of any other salary from the Government. Without completing the reading of the bill, and no further action thereon, the committee then rose. On motion of Mr. Smyser the House agreed to the Senate amendment reducing the cost of the public building at Akron, O., to $75,000. At 5:25 P. M. the House adjourned.

ANOTHER BIG NEW YORK FIRE.

An Immense Malt House and White Star Dock Destroyed This Morning.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—About 1 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the large malt house of B. M. Van Tassel, foot of West Eleventh street. The building is doomed, and there is danger that the fire may reach surrounding buildings. Shortly before 1:30 a. m. another fire was discovered at the White Star dock at Houston and West streets and three alarms have been sent out from that locality.

BENEATH A FALLING DERRICK.

Four Men Instantly Killed and Three Fatally Injured.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Jan. 14.—John and William Flurri, sons of Foreman Flurri, and two Italians were instantly killed and James O'Connell, Jack McShane and one Italian were fatally injured at Split Rock quarry, on Lake Champlain, near Westport, yesterday afternoon. They were engaged in hoisting stone into a car with a large derrick, when it suddenly gave way, crushing the men.

Stuart to be Philadelphia's Next Mayor.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 14.—Edwin S. Stuart, president of the Young Men's Republican league, of Pennsylvania, last night had a clean sweep in the Republican primaries to choose delegates for to-day's mayoralty nominating convention. Unless the Democrats and committee of fifty should unite upon some such man as A. J. Cassatt, as has been suggested, but now seems most improbable, Stuart will be practically without opposition as a nominee.

The Flesh Fell From His Bones.

GOSHEN, IND., Jan. 14.—John Whiteman fell into a vat of boiling lye at the Indiana Paper Company vats at Mishawaka. He managed to keep his head above the boiling lye and screamed for help. When rescued the flesh fell from his bones and death was instantaneous.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruisesbsores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Z. T. Baltzly.

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This is what N. H. Andrews, a prominent citizen of Springfield, O., says: "It affords me great pleasure to assure my friends that I have received both immediate and permanent relief of throat, bronchial and asthmatic trouble in the use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy. It is certainly a good honest medicine and a blessing to humanity." The above preparation we sell on a positive guarantee; it has given better satisfaction than any other remedy we have ever sold. J. M. Schuckers, E. S. Craig, druggists, Massillon, O.

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The want column is authority on "situations and help wanted."

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Store room, Stone Block.
Store Room in Opera Block, now occupied by Goodhart Bros. Possession given April 1st, 1891.
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One lot on South Erie street, $600.
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Forty-two lots in Kent Jarvis' 2d add. $300 to $4
Nineteen lots in my Richville Ave. add., $22
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any "want" under the sun not to exceed four lines, announced in this department for 25 cents a week.

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ROBE—On East Main street, between Erie and Locust, a woolen buggy robe Leave at the Independent Co.'s store, or at 52 Locust St. 10-6t

PLASTERING TOOLS—Between State street and Bridgeport, a bag containing plastering tools. Finder please return to Cyrus Smith, 80 State street and receive reward. 13 6t

WATCH—Somewhere between St Mary's Catholic church and the residence of the late Joseph Kitchen, a gent's gold watch and chain, The finder will be rewarded by returning to the Independent Co's store 14-6t

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KEY—A large folding key. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 9-6t

PUPPY—Yellow puppy about 2 months old; Owner can have same by calling at Russell & Co's office and paying for this notice 14-tf

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FOR RENT.

APARTMENTS—Two apartments of 5 rooms each on Muskingum street also one 4 room house on stonequarry hill. Inquire of W. A. Pietzcker 12-tf

HOUSE—The elegant property, No. 218 East Main street, now occupied by Geo. Goodhart Possession given on two week's notice. L. Gise. 8-tf

STOREROOM—Small storeroom for rent, on W, Main street, formerly Bucher's office; Call at Graze & Sonnhalter's grocery 14-tf

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GIRL—A good girl to do general housework, Apply at 117 S. East street. 7-6t

HOUSE—To rent a small house well located near center of town. Address J. A, Beattie, 46 Park street, 14-tf

WASH-WOMAN—Wanted at Jan Kees laundry, apply at once. Minich Block. 12-6

THE Independent will appreciate mention of this column, by those who find it useful.

FOR SALE.

CORD WOOD—Sawed in any lengths for stoves furnaces or factories. Leave orders at Warth Bros. grocery, 23 West Main street. 8-6t

FURNACE—Suitable for small house, Also small stove cheap. H. C. Brown. 3-t

HOUSE—A ten room house on E. Main street No. 268, in good repair also good out building. Any one wishing to purchase should call at premises. 24-tf

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—On account of leaving town, I will sell at private sale all my household goods. Sale afternoons from 1 to 5 o'clock for ten days, beginning Jan. 12. Mrs. Joseph Glessner, 118 East Main Street. 8-6t

LIMESTONE—Crushed limestone for walks, in large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Skinner. 319-tf

THE Independent will be obliged to those who answer advertisement under this head, if they will kindly state that they were attracted by means of this paper.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BEAUTY HARD AT WORK.

THE DAILY TOIL OF THE WASHINGTON FASHIONABLE SEASON.

Fair Maids and Matrons Who Are "In the Swim" Compelled to Utilize Every Waking Moment to Fulfill Their Social Obligations.

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SOCIETY'S season at Washington starts with the White House reception New Year's day, and closes with the beginning of Lent. During that time all is gold and glitter. A senator's wife who has been at the capital eighteen winters says the average of entertainments now is nearly 500 during the season. By that she did not mean afternoon receptions, but everything that required a bid, luncheons, teas, dinners, evening receptions, musicales and balls.

Bless me! you say, there is no woman living who can attend 500 affairs between New Year's and Lent. And you are right; but there are women who receive invitations to all, and only send regrets to one-fourth. Take one of last year's debutantes. She kept a diary of her goings, and with one luncheon, two or three teas, as many evening receptions and a dinner here and there, her category summed up 395 entertainments, with a deficit of a third as many to which she had sent regrets. There

A MAID TO CARE FOR HER.

were only two theatre parties in her list, as she said that was the one form of amusement she had to omit. Every society woman omits that, however, and during the season there is less theatre going than in any other city.

The debutante whom I have quoted had the task of a Titan, for she must needs make from two to three calls at every house at which she was entertained. First the formal call, then the return, and finally the party call. No woman in Washington, save Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, is so high that she need not pay calls. The square of bristol board tyrannizes over all. How did the debutante perform all her duties? By being all ready for the season when it began. Not an inch of ribbon or lace did she buy during that time. She had a maid to care for her clothes, and every moment she was not going she was sleeping. It is an easy thing to sleep from 2 a. m. to 12 m., and that is what a Washington belle always learns to do. Not two score entertainments in a year ever go much beyond 1:30 a. m. Every woman who is entertained must entertain. A luncheon, a series of teas, a dinner and possibly a ball are demanded at each Washington house.

The executive mansion is, of course, the center of gayety. During the season there are at least eight formal entertainments there. First the reception New Year's Day, then two receptions in

LIKE "THE ARABIAN NIGHTS" TALES.

January to the diplomatic corps and the congress and judiciary respectively, and two in February to the army and navy, and last of all to the general public. These five are obligatory, but the president may give as many or as few dinners as he chooses. The table in the state dining room seats from thirty-six to fifty guests. The usual number is four. Two in January alternate weeks with the receptions to the cabinet and diplomatic corps, and two in February to the supreme court and congress. Ex-President Cleveland only gave three the first two years of his administration, omitting the last, and inviting whatever senators or representatives he chose to the other three. Ladies, of course, are invited to all these dinners and receptions.

The mistress of the White House has not the care of an ordinary housewife over these entertainments. She gives a little attention to the decorating of the suite of parlors, but her only other duty is to stand at the head of the receiving line and greet the guests, no small task when the throng mounts into the thousands.

In addition to formal entertainments the mistress of the White House usually holds drawing rooms every Saturday afternoon, and receives people by appointment nearly every day in the week. It is only by the most careful allotting of time that she can do all that is expected of her.

Until the opening of the season Mrs. Harrison was the mistress of her own time, but the stroke of 11, Jan. 1, made her its slave. Before that time she made informal calls upon the ladies of the cabinet and her intimate friends, went out to little dinners, was seen once or twice a week at the theatres, and seemed not to have a care. Now she is not expected to go or be entertained at any house at the capital. She may transcend the law as Mrs. Cleveland did toward the end of the season, and be present at her cabinet ladies' Wednesday receptions.

There is not the least bit of Jeffersonian simplicity in White House etiquette. Every year it gains a more ironclad code. Uncle Sam's mails are not retained to carry White House invitations, but mounted messengers fly from Georgetown to Capitol Hill, and from the Potomac to Columbia Heights distributing the cards.

And woe betide him who does not send an answer within two days. Nothing but sickness, the death of a near relative or absence from the city can excuse a declination of the president's invitation. His request is a command.

The receptions to the diplomatic corps and the army and navy divide the glory of the winter. A peep into either is like a glimpse of "The Arabian Nights" tales congealed into one.

The first is very stately, I assure you. Every diplomat dons his court dress, and the bullion displayed would fill a vault in the treasury building. Then, the swords! They clank in a way that suggests a tourney, and even the most colorless imagination is disappointed when their owners pace pacifically around the the big east room for half an hour and retire. The ladies of the corps always wear their most elaborate costumes and finest jewels, and many are the magnificent pairs of shoulders glistening with diamonds upon which the light falls. The question of precedence at this reception used to bother even presidents, but now the whole affair is ranked by time of service. Friends of the president and his wife and people of high degree are bidden to meet the foreigners.

Next to the White House the home of the vice president will be a center for society this winter.

The position of the wife of a cabinet minister is not a sinecure. They are expected to keep open house every Wednesday until Lent begins, to assist the mistress of the White House at all her receptions, and to carry on their special duty to society by receptions and dinners. They are all expected to call upon Mrs. Morton and the ladies of the su-

DELIVERED BY MOUNTED MESSENGER.

preme court and senate, and nearly all of them had their full hundred calls made before Dec. 15. Their daughters usually accompany them on the rounds. The only alleviation they have from the binding rule is that they need not call upon the "day" of each person. As they remain but two minutes they can make from sixteen to twenty-six calls in an afternoon, which means from 3 to 5.

Only one thing is incumbent on a senator's or representative's wife, and that is to receive Thursday and return all calls made upon her. She need not give a dinner or card reception unless she desires, and not more than a score of senators' wives and twice as many wives of representatives ever do much more. Much is demanded of the speaker's wife if she live in her own house.

Outside of this vast official circle, which includes the diplomatic corps, there is an equally large resident population who, it is conceded, make up the exclusive society of the capital. They entertain in a year even more lavishly than the official circle, for nearly all of the "old families" of the capital have wealth.

MIRIAM HAMERTON.

A Remarkable Life Saving Belt.

An Italian has invented an "instantaneous, self expanding, life saving belt," which, if it proves as good in performance as in promise, is indeed a boon to those who "go down to the sea in ships." It is light of weight and may be worn constantly. The minute it touches the water chemical substances with which it is filled unite and inflate the belt with gas. The inventor claims that the most heavily clothed person can by his appliance be kept afloat for forty-eight hours.

Not in Touch with Christmas.

The Anti Merry Yuletide association is the title of a club recently formed by a half dozen pessimistic New Yorkers, who believe that there is "no fun about Christmas," and that the giving and taking of presents is nothing but a legalized form of blackmail.

Wealthy residents of England are attempting to relieve distress in the agricultural districts by encouraging the revival of hand weaving. They furnish the wool and purchase the cloth when made.

EMMA ABBOTT'S BRAVERY.

Her Thrilling Rescue of a Child from Drowning in a Texas Bayou.

[Special Correspondence.]

GALVESTON, Tex., Jan. 12.—One of the most thrilling incidents in the remarkable career of the late Emma Abbott, the opera singer, occurred here in February, six years ago.

The winter of 1884–85 was the coldest on record here, with the exception of that of 1845–46, and the bayous were covered with magnificent glassy ice. Everybody in town fortunate enough to possess ice skates took advantage of this rare opportunity to use them, and among the skaters was the great prima donna and most of the members of her opera company, which was here for a three nights' engagement.

Miss Abbott proved herself to be easily the best skater on the ice, and was soon skimming away with long, graceful strokes down the bayou.

Suddenly her attention was attracted by the sharp cry of a child in distress, and she saw the head and shoulders of a little girl just as they were disappearing through an air hole some distance from the singer and hidden from every other skater on the ice by a bend in the shore of the bayou. Hastily throwing aside her heavy sealskin wraps Miss Abbott started to the rescue of the little one. As she approached the air hole ominous cracking sounds told her that the ice was unsafe, but on she went, her danger increasing each instant. She dropped to her hands and knees and crept close to the opening.

EMMA ABBOTT.

The child had sunk, but fortunately there was no current in the bayou to carry her under the ice, and as Miss Abbott crept on the rotten ice to the edge of the air hole the girl rose to the surface of the water gasping and terror stricken.

Instantly the delicate hand of the cantatrice grasped the child's shoulder, and with a strength born of desperation pulled her, dripping, from the water. Other skaters had approached by this time, but Miss Abbott waved them back, shouting a warning that the ice was rotten and would not bear their weight.

Placing the child in front of her on the ice, which was constantly giving out crackling threats to plunge them both into the water, Miss Abbott made her way along on hands and knees to a place of safety.

The news of her heroism spread like wild fire through the city, and when the curtain rose that night at the Opera house the mayor and city council were present and Miss Abbott was received with mad enthusiasm. During the afternoon before the performance, and at night after it was over, her hotel was constantly surrounded by a crowd of citizens, and bouquets and letters of congratulation were sent to her by dozens.

The child she rescued was the daughter of Dr. Parker, a well known Galveston physician.

World's Fair Notes.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Few people, except those who have spent a lifetime in professions or in business having relation to building operations, can fully realize the magnitude of the task that is to be accomplished before the various contemplated structures are ready for the reception of their contents. Nearly $100,000—a decidedly good sized fortune in itself—will have to be expended on the very ground before a single foundation stone is laid or a central pier sunk. Nearly a quarter of a million cubic yards of sand has first to be dredged from the location decided upon for the lagoon, and then to be used in filling up the uneven portions of Jackson park. Even this immense quantity, however, will not be sufficient for the latter purpose, and 200,000 cubic yards additional is to be dug from excavations.

Still another quarter of a million yards of sand is to be sought for down on the Indiana state line on the lake front, or elsewhere, while 436,000 yards of black earth is to be procured for possible contingencies in the way of filling up. This is an aggregate of considerably over one million cubic yards of material, and of the total over one-half must be taken from places that will have to be refilled when the exposition has closed its doors and said farewell to the world. The total cost will be divided between the World's fair directory and the park commissioners, the latter, however, getting a little the best of the deal in a financial sense.

The entire force of officials of the fair, national and local, is now located on the fourth floor of the imposing ten story structure at Adams and Quincy streets, known as the Rand-McNally building, and here every man and woman officially identified with the enterprise can be addressed for the next three years. At present there are but fifty-six names on the pay roll, but when several of the departments, which as yet are in a state of coma, are quickened into life, this number will be doubled and trebled. In all, the quarters cover no less than 20,000 square feet of space.

Director General Davis has a spacious and elegant suite, while Chief Handy, of the press bureau, has been successful in persuading the powers that be to concede him three times as many apartments as had been allotted to his bureau on the original plan. Experienced newspaper man as he is, he has shown himself alive to the requirements of members of the profession from out of town by setting aside one of the best rooms of his suite for their accommodation and convenience.

Miss Phoebe Couzins, the secretary of the women's board, and who is buckling down to work with a determination in keeping with her previous reputation, has the room next to that of Secretary Butterworth, while the quarters of Mrs. Potter Palmer adjoin those of her lady colleague on the right. The largest room of all, and which is really six apartments thrown into one, is fitted up with forty-five desks, and looks for all the world like a miniature of the senate chamber at Washington. Here it is that the national commission and the local directory will sit in judgment.

HENRY M. HUNT.

FOUR MEN KILLED.

They Were in a Sled and Crossing a Track When Struck by a Train.

FREMONT, O., Jan. 14.—Charles Reems, Milton Gilmore, Grant Fleming and Will Babcock were instantly killed at dusk yesterday by being struck by a train on the Lake Shore road, a few miles east of here. All the men lived at Green Springs, O., and were returning home from a marketing junket. They were in a sled, which was demolished and the horses killed. Two of the party were killed outright, one died on the train and the other at Clyde, O., whence the men were taken. Strange to say not one of the four was badly mutilated. It is supposed they did not hear the train approaching until they were directly on the track, when they attempted to turn around, but too late.

GOVERNOR CAMPBELL ILL.

Contracted a Dangerous Cold at the Funeral of Senator Robertson.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—While attending the funeral of the late Senator Robertson, at Sidney, last week, Gov. Campbell contracted a severe cold, which has compelled him to remain at his home since Saturday. He is confined to his bed, and, while no serious results are anticipated, his physicians have given instructions that the Governor must remain as quiet as possible, and under no circumstances attempt to look after any official or business matters.

THE PANHANDLE CLERKS ESCAPE.

The Young Men Accused of Disposing of Forged Railway Tickets Not Indicted.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—Charles E. Rose, clerk in the rate department of the Panhandle at Pittsburg; Charles E. Gibson, of the C., H. V. & D. rate department here, and Charles E. Blaney and Charles E. Ranney, who were charged with forging or disposing of forged railway tickets escaped indictment by the grand jury which has just presented its report to the court.

Resolutions for the Wool Growers.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14. — Judge William Lawrence, Columbus Delano and George L. Converse took a prominent part in the discussions of the Ohio wool growers in the Senate chamber Tuesday night. Among the resolutions were the following:

Resolved, That we denounce any scheme of reciprocity, which has proposed, or shall provide for admission of wool, mutton or beef, free from any nation of the Western Hemisphere or elsewhere, and we will oppose in every legitimate mode the nomination of any man for any political office who will not aid in maintaining the purposes of the resolution.

Resolved, That whenever by legislation or reciprocity treaty wool shall be admitted free from any foreign country, we will demand that woolen goods shall be admitted free from all foreign countries.

To Enforce the Sunday Closing Law.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—The Law and Order league, having succeeded in closing gambling houses and compelling saloons to close at midnight, is now turning its attention to the enforcement of the Sunday closing law and the law prohibiting theatrical performances on the first day of the week, and have appointed a committee of 100 to aid in the work.

Natural Gas Getting Scarce.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—The Central Ohio Natural Gas company notified their domestic consumers that the gas would be turned off Wednesday. The pressure is so low that several fires went out and the company fear an accident.

The Hampden Works Resume.

CANTON, O., Jan. 14.—The Hampden Watch works resumed operations yesterday in persuance with the arrangements made with the citizens for continuance.

JEALOUSY THE MOTIVE.

A Philadelphian Kills His Wife and Then Commits Suicide.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 14. — Anton Bruchner, an ex-saloon keeper, living in West Philadelphia, yesterday shot and killed his wife Anna and then killed himself. The origin of the tragedy is supposed to have been jealousy. Bruchner had kept a saloon at 907 Poplar street until the new license law took effect. Then, his occupation gone, he returned to his trade of garment cutter. He had been out of employment for a couple of weeks, but Mrs. Bruchner was employed regularly in the Working Home for Blind Men, as cook. The couple seemed to have enough for all their wants, and Anton declared that his savings and his wife's wages were sufficient to support them well until he could procure a good position.

The Neilson Colliery Resumes Operations.

SHAMOKIN, PA., Jan. 14.—The Neilson colliery, operated by J. Langdon, resumed operations yesterday. Owing to damage by fire this colliery has remained idle since September, and a new breaker had been built. The resumption means employment to 1,000 men and boys.

Ten Thousand for an Arm.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Wm. Reynolds, who had his elbow crushed in June, 1889, while at work widening the guage of the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City Railroad company, recovered a judgment of $10,000 yesterday against the contractor, Silvester R. Kneeland, in the supreme court before Judge Andrews.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

A conflagration has caused much suffering in Bombay. Over 200 houses have been burned to the ground, and hundreds of families are rendered homeless.

There is no longor any doubt that the man arrested at Olot as the assassin of Gen. Seliversteff, in Paris, is Padlewski. He has been fully identified by means of photographs forwarded to the police.

The Great Western Railway has put two cars of the American pattern on its line. The cars are divided in the middle, one end being a third-class and the other a first-class. The innovation has attracted much attention.

The Shah has expelled from Persia the Sheikh Jamaleddin, who has made himself obnoxious on account of his bitter attacks upon England. He was escorted to the Turkish frontier by a detachment of Persian troops.

Fred. Lapiant, a half-breed ranchman, living near Fort Pierre, has just received a letter from an Indian relative at Pine Ridge, saying that 363 Indians, including women and children, have thus far been killed by the troops.

Joseph Lafou, who has been in Montana for some time following his profession as a caricaturist and sketch artist, died of pneumonia after a few days' illness. Mr. Lafou was formerly of the New York Graphic corps of artists.

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